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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: MONITORING APPARATUS FOR IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS, CONTROL METHOD EXECUTED BY THE MONITORING APPARATUS, PROGRAM FOR IMPLEMENTING THE CONTROL METHOD, AND MANAGEMENT APPARATUS, CONTROL METHOD EXECUTED BY THE MANAGEMENT APPARATUS, AND PROGRAM FOR IMPLEMENTING THE CONTROL METHOD

Enclosed are:

- ☒ [X] FOURTEEN (14) sheets of formal drawings, Figures 1-16.
- ☐ [] An Assignment of the invention to CANON KABUSHIKI KAISHA
- ☒ [X] The application claims priority from Japanese Applications 2003-005155 filed January 10, 2003 and 2003-435644 filed December 26, 2003
- ☐ [] Certified copies of the priority documents are enclosed.
- ☐ [] A Declaration and Power of Attorney.

- ☐ Small entity status is claimed under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement.

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Claims	6 - 3 = 3	x	\$ 86.00 =		258.00
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